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Explore a canal, river or lake-Visit a National Wildlife Refuge

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Paddling the canals of Alligator River National Wildlife Refuge offers many possibilities. You might see a black bear getting a drink along the water's edge. Or, you might have a river otter swim

under your canoe. You might even see a resident alligator. Sign up for one of the canoe trips offered 3 times per week throughout the summer. The National Wildlife Refuges Visitor Center on Roanoke Island is open Mon-Sat 9:00 am-4:00 pm & Sunday noon-4:00 pm; admission is FREE. Alligator River and Pea Island National Wildlife Refuges are open daylight hours year-round. Explore on your own! Or for a list of exciting and educational guided programs (canoe trips, Red Wolf howlings, bear excursions, bird walks, tram trips and more), visit: <http://www.fws.gov/alligatorriver/spec.html>